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For: Catalyst For Removing Pollutants )  
From Exhaust Gases From )  
Lean-Burn Engines, With )  
Ruthenium As Active Metal )

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